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REAR ADMIRAL ISHAM LINDER, UNITED STATES NAVY

Rear Admiral Isham Linder spent most of his younger years in Boulder, Colorado and entered the U. S. Naval Academy, Annapolis, Maryland on appointment by the Secretary of the Navy in 1943.

Following graduation from the Naval Academy in 1946 he reported on board the USS Springfield (CL-66) then assigned to the Pacific Fleet. Subsequent assignments have included operational naval duties, advanced education, and naval staff posts. A naval aviator, his fleet duties have included assignments with Patrol Squadron 21 in the Atlantic Fleet, on the staff of Commander Amphibious Group 2 also in the Atlantic, and as executive officer and commanding officer of Air Anti-Submarine Squadron 25 with the Pacific Fleet. He has served as Executive Officer of USS Enterprise (CVAN-65) and has commanded USS Cleveland (LPD-7) and USS Intrepid (CVS-11). After promotion to flag rank he was assigned as Commander Cruiser Destroyer Flotilla 2.



Education beyond the Naval Academy has included the Massachusetts Institute of Technology (BS(EE)-1949), the Naval Postgraduate School (MS(EE)-1956) and the University of California at Berkeley (Ph. D. (Eng. Sci.)-1961). He has qualified as a naval nuclear propulsion supervisor by study at the Naval Reactor Training Schools at Mare Island, California and at the National Reactor Testing Station, Idaho.

From 1971-1974 Rear Admiral Linder served in the Office of the Chief of Naval Operations as Head of CVA(N) - Nuclear Powered Aircraft Carrier - Coordination. He assumed the post of Superintendent of the Naval Postgraduate School on June 28, 1974.

He and his wife, Ann, have five children: Bruce, a LTJG in the Navy; Susan, a graduate student at the University of North Carolina; Nancy, a senior at Hollins College, Virginia; David, a sophomore at Penn State University; and Mary, a high school junior.